

## DESERTED FROM ARMY FOR LOVE OF A GIRL

Now Robert Green Appeals to the President for Executive Clemency.

### STORY OF HIS LOVE AFFAIR.

Separated from His Sweetheart by Accident, He Found Her in Want and Sought in Vain for Honorable Discharge.

#### REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, March 29.—There is a romance almost like the familiar plot of "Private Green" behind the position in which Private Robert Green has asked President Roosevelt to mitigate the sentence which he is now serving at Alcatraz Island, Cal., because he deserted to marry Miss Bertha Garvey, daughter of the late Captain Garvey, First Cavalry. He tells this story in the petition.

"When a boy I became acquainted with Miss Bertha Garvey, and as children we became strongly attached to each other and always spoke of getting married when we should arrive at the proper age. We corresponded while I was in the navy and I had a strong hope of meeting her at the expiration of my term of service, but somehow or other Miss Garvey and her mother drifted away to some point beyond my knowledge.

"So not being able to find her I enlisted in the Twenty-fourth Field Artillery on September 4, 1891, and served at the Presidio. Through correspondence with a lady friend at the Woman's Relief Corps Home at Evergreen, near San Jose, I obtained Miss Garvey's address and at once went to see her.

"Our attachment for each other became stronger than ever before. In seeing her helpless situation, I was possessed of a strong feeling that it was my duty, as well as my greatest pleasure, to make her my wife and to give her such a home and protection as I was able in order to do this I made a strong and persistent effort to obtain an honorable discharge from the army, but, failing in this, my desire seemed to overcome my better judgment, and on June 14, 1892, I regret to say, I deserted, and was married to Miss Garvey at Pasadena.

"For his desertion Private Green was sentenced to two years confinement at Alcatraz Island in the military prison at Alcatraz. Mrs. Green still lives with her mother at Pasadena and was able to obtain her husband's release from the prison to which he was sentenced for two years on account of desertion in order to marry her. She has enlisted the influence of powerful friends to have her husband released. Private Green pleads with the President that he is not a criminal, but a patriotic citizen, that, with the exception of this single offense, his record is without a blot, and he feels for this reason the President should grant him a pardon, not only for his desertion, but for the fact that he has not returned to his mother, where my services are so much needed, but to go to meet a woman which means an otherwise honorable record."

### THE WEATHER.

Official Forecast Announced for To-Day and To-Morrow.

Washington, March 29.—Forecast: Illinois—Fair Monday; warmer in north and central portions. Tuesday, fair; fresh southeast winds. Eastern Texas—Fair Monday; Tuesday, light variable winds. Western Texas—Partly cloudy, with occasional showers Monday. Arkansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Fair Monday; Tuesday, fair. Louisiana and Mississippi—Fair and warmer Monday; Tuesday, fair; cooler in western portions. Nebraska—Fair Monday; Tuesday, fair; fresh northeast winds. Kansas—Fair Monday; Tuesday, fair; fresh northeast winds. Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Fair Monday; Tuesday, fair; fresh northeast winds. Kansas—Fair Monday; Tuesday, fair; fresh northeast winds.

Local Report.  
St. Louis, Sunday, March 29, 1903.  
Temperature, degrees, 63 to 72.  
Direction of wind, NW.  
Force of wind, 10 to 15 miles per hour.  
Weather at 6:30 a. m., clear; at 6:30 p. m., clear. Maximum temperature, 72 degrees; minimum, 63 degrees. Barometer, 30.15.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecast Official.

#### Government Report.

Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

March 29, 1903, at 6:30 p. m. local time and 8 p. m. standard time.

Stations.

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## THE WORTH OF SUPPORT FOR HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Some Wards Have Good Nominees on Both Sides and Some Show Combine Control on Both Sides—Analysis Shows That Voters Can Reform the House in Spite of Many Poor Nominations.

WARD.	DEMOCRATS.	REPUBLICANS.	INDEPENDENTS.
1-W. D. GRIFFIN.	E. F. W. Richter.		
2-AUG. C. LUEKING.	C. H. Witthoft.		
3-T. M. McAUFLIFF.			
4-JAMES S. KINNEY.	CLARENCE T. CASE.		
5-Ike Conran.	Henry Horcher.		
6-W. C. Zimmermann.	HENRY C. NEUN.		
7-George Rott.	Henry Pfeiffer.		
8-E. M. Block.	Fred G. Schmidt.		
9-T. S. STODOLSKY.	JOHN P. NOLDE.		
10-W. H. HUGHES.	Frank N. Simmons.		
11-EDNA J. O'NEILL.	Edward Danmann.	JOHN H. LITHOFF.	
12-WILLIAM B. DOL.	A. J. HAMMERSTEIN.		
13-FRED WEIDMANN.	AUGUST NASSE.		
14-John B. Williams.	Frank M. Gonder.		
15-Andrew Garzola.			
16-Timothy Maloney.	Henry L. Weske, Jr.	HY. W. BEERMANN.	
17-Robert Pfeiffer.	Albert Wetzel.	WM. A. BLOCK.	
18-George Noll.	Nathan Goldstein.		
19-J. J. O'BRIEN.	BOTTE A. BECKER.		
20-DAN F. MEEHAN.	JOSEPH MASERANG, JR.		
21-John R. McCarthy.	Edward N. Schaffer.		
22-J. Teschemacher.	WM. G. DIERKING.	Peter H. Feller.	
23-LEE HAGERMAN.	C. A. WINDMUELLER.		
24-James T. Brennan.	WALTER M. BIRGE.	A. G. Clark.	
25-Charles L. Garrahy.	E. C. LACKLAND, JR.		
26-A. T. TERRY, JR.			

Without regard for politics and for the information of voters who wish to advance the cause of good government, The Republic to-day presents in black-face type the names of nominees who, if elected, may be expected to improve conditions in the House of Delegates.

Fifty-eight House nominees will be voted on at the election a week from to-morrow. Of these, twenty-five give promise of acting an aggressive part in good government if elected. Unfortunately, fourteen of the twenty-five are opposed to each other in the same ward—the Ninth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-fifth and Twenty-eighth.

A majority of the eleven remaining good nominees must be elected if public improvement is to be made. On the other hand, the party of the voters, both Democrats and Republicans, will assure this result if the good nominees are elected.

In some of the wards the nominees chiefly represent the City Committee, while in others they are on the Democratic ticket.

In the First Ward W. D. Griffin, a broker, with offices in the Mermel & Jacobson building, has been elected by the Democrats. He has never been in politics, but is a friend of George Gonsolis, the Democratic candidate.

In the Second Ward August C. Lueking is the Democratic nominee. If the better elements of the ward elect him, he will be elected by a large majority, even though the ward is nominally Republican. He is a well-known business man, who has been elected by a large majority, even though the ward is nominally Republican.

In the Third Ward E. F. W. Richter, the Republican nominee, is a roofer and was formerly a member of the City Committee. He is recognized as a consistent member of the lobby element of the Republican minority. Of the two, he is the better nominee.

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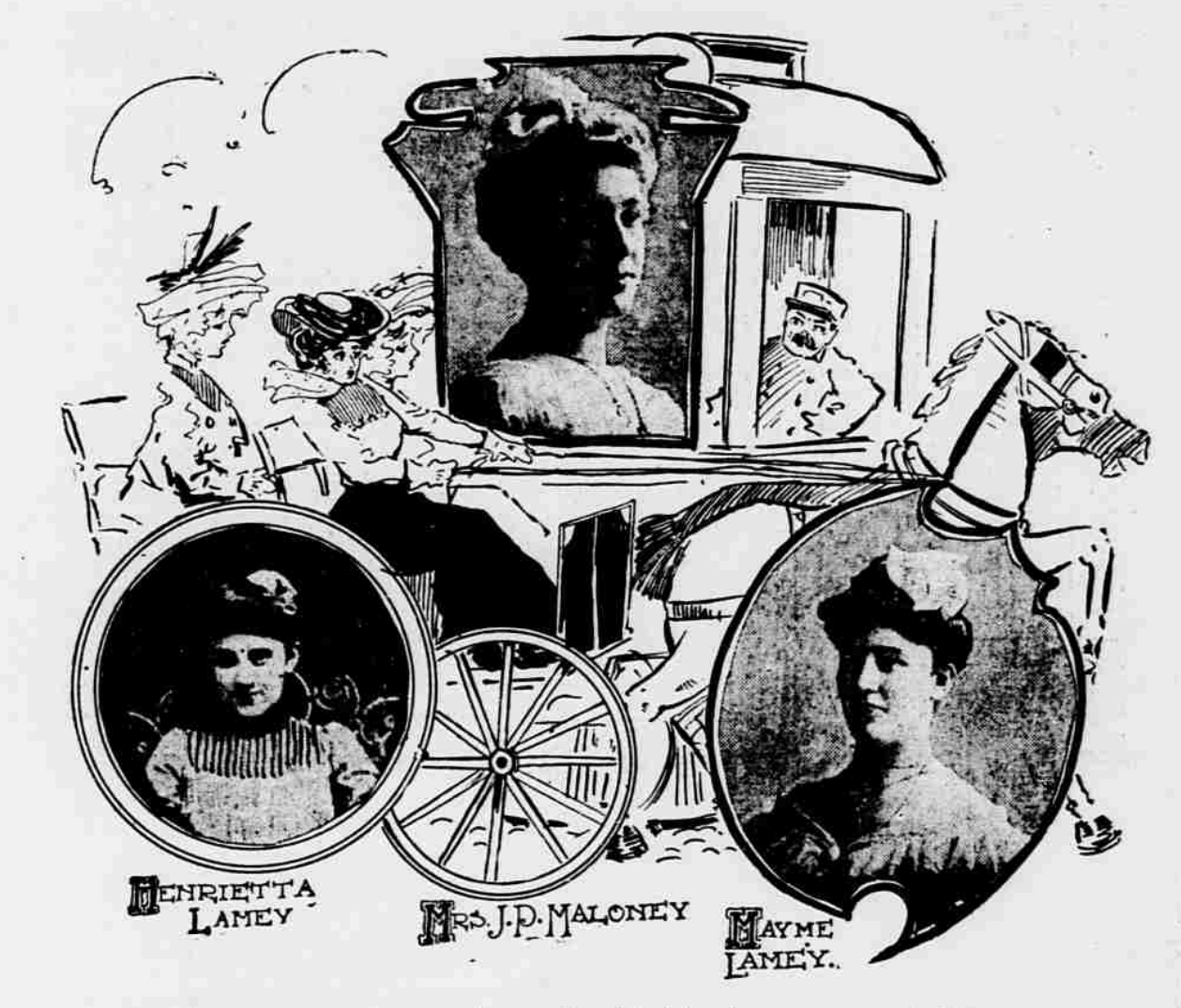
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## OCCUPANTS OF TRAP IN WARD BEHIND RUNAWAY HORSES.



Young ladies who narrowly escaped serious injury in a runaway yesterday.

A runaway, the result of collision with a street car, in which the five occupants of a stylish trap were thrown to the street and severely bruised, startled the residents in the fashionable district near Taylor avenue yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The occupants of the conveyance were J. O. Banks, of No. 250 Franklin avenue, who was driving; J. P. Maloney of No. 1092 North Jefferson avenue; Mrs. J. P. Maloney and Misses Henrietta and Mayne Lamey of No. 1610 North Jefferson avenue. None was injured.

The horses, wild and panic-stricken, dragged the carriage up on the sidewalk, striking a lamp post; it was overturned. The ladies were thrown and lay for the shock of the collision, thinking that all the occupants of the trap must have suffered serious hurt.

In a very short time, however, Banks and Maloney recovered themselves by several blows, and the horses were brought under control. The party planned to enjoy the afternoon driving, and had secured the carriage from the West End Carriage Company. The purpose was to drive through the West End and thence out to the World's Fair site.

At Olive street, No. 365 of the Clayton division street car, which was passing, struck the horses, who were running wild. The accident shattered the car. The car passed on, but the accident had disarranged the harness, and in attempting to start the horse, the driver, who was driving, was thrown to the ground, and the horses were thrown to the ground.

With the traces dragging behind them the animals continued north on Taylor avenue, galloping at breakneck speed. Banks exerted himself to the utmost in the endeavor to halt them, but unsuccessfully. When he neared Delmar avenue the idea was suggested to him that he direct the horses across the sidewalk toward the long signboard which extends diagonally across Taylor and Delmar avenues.

He thought the horses would stop when they reached the signboard. He was wrong. The horses, instead of stopping, continued on their way, and the carriage was thrown to the ground. The horses were then brought under control by several blows.

It promises to become a strong factor to bring to St. Louis during the World's Fair the next week, the quick legal and financial aid in an educational way to elevate the physical man. "Mens sano in corpore sano" is its byword.

IS NEW PACKING COMPANY  
IN CONTEMPT OF COURT?

Question Raised Whether New Jersey Concerns Injunction Against Combine.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Chicago, Ill., March 29.—In the face of Judge Grosscup's injunction enjoining the packers from continuing their combination in restraint of trade or from uniting to arbitrarily fix prices of meats and